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	5,122,156	06/16/92	Granger et al.	606	219	
	5,135,467	08/04/92	Citron	600	16	
	5,207,695	05/04/93	Trout, III	606	153	
	5,211,658	05/18/93	Clouse	623	1	
	5,211,683	05/18/93	Maginot	128	898	
	5,234,447	08/10/93	Kaster et al.	606	153	
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	5,452,733	09/26/95	Sterman et al.	128	898	
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	5,562,728	10/08/96	Lazarus et al.	623	1	
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	5,695,504	12/09/97	Gifford, III et al.	606	153	
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	5,921,995	07/13/99	Kleshinski	606	153	
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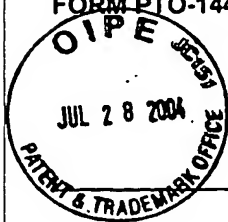
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